

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1 **Claim 1 (Currently Amended)** A roll-up ladder stabilizer, comprising:

2 an elongated U-shaped stabilizer bar having an arm on each end, each arm having a curved portion

3 and a straight end portion perpendicular to the base of the "U";

4 each straight end portion including an axle with a wheel rotatably attached to said axle;

5 means attached to said stabilizer bar for centering said stabilizer bar on the a top rung of a ladder;

6 and

7 clamping means attached a pair of locking clamps welded to said stabilizer bar for securely

8 clamping said stabilizer bar to the a ladder adjacent to said a top rung.

1 **Claim 2 (Original)** The ladder stabilizer of claim 1, wherein said wheels are between 3-8 inches in

2 diameter.

1 **Claim 3 (Original)** The ladder stabilizer of claim 1, wherein said means for centering said stabilizer bar

2 comprises a hook-shaped trough.

Claim 4. *(Canceled)*

1 Claim 5 (*Original*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 1, wherein said stabilizer bar is square in cross-section.

1 Claim 6 (*Original*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 1, wherein said stabilizer bar is formed of aluminum.

1 Claim 7 (*Currently Amended*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 1, wherein ~~the ladder rails are I-shaped in cross-section and the clamping means secures~~ is adapted to secure the stabilizer bar to the ~~a~~ base of the an I-shaped rail adjacent to the top rung of ~~the~~ a ladder.

1 Claim 8 (*Currently Amended*) A roll-up ladder stabilizer, comprising:
2 an elongated U-shaped stabilizer bar having an arm on each end, each arm having a curved portion
3 and a straight end portion perpendicular to the base of the "U";
4 each straight end portion including an axle and a wheel rotatably attached to said axle;
5 means attached to said stabilizer bar for centering said stabilizer bar on the top rung of a ladder;
6 and
7 ~~wherein the ladder rails are I-shaped in cross-section; and~~
8 ~~clamping means attached a pair of locking clamps welded~~ to said stabilizer bar for securely
9 clamping said stabilizer bar to the ~~a~~ base of the a pair of I-shaped rails of the ~~a~~ ladder adjacent ~~the~~ to a
10 top rung of ~~the~~ a ladder.

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1 Claim 9 (*Original*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 8, wherein said means for centering said stabilizer bar
2 comprises a hook-shaped trough.

1 Claim 10 (*Original*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 8, wherein said trough includes a back portion secured
2 said stabilizer, a top portion extending over the rung of the ladder, and a lip portion extending downwardly
3 over the rung of the ladder.

1 Claim 11 (*Original*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 10, wherein said wheels are between 3-8 inches in
diameter.

Claim 12. (*Canceled*)

1 Claim 13 (*Currently Amended*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 12, wherein said locking clamps are Carr
2 Lane Clamps CL-250-VTC having have at least 200 pounds of clamping force.

1 Claim 14 (*Original*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 10, wherein said stabilizer bar is formed of aluminum
2 and is square in cross-section.

1 Claim 15 *(Currently Amended)* A roll-up ladder stabilizer, comprising:

2 an elongated U-shaped aluminum stabilizer bar having an arm on each end, each arm having a

3 curved portion and a straight end portion perpendicular to the base of the "U" "U";

4 each straight end portion is provided with an axle and a wheel rotatably attached to each axle;

5 a hook-shaped trough is attached to the center of said stabilizer bar for centering said stabilizer

6 bar on the top rung of a ladder, said trough comprising a back portion secured to said stabilizer bar, a top

7 portion extending over the rung of the ladder, and a lip portion extending downwardly over the rung of the

8 ladder; and

9 means attached to said stabilizer bar for securely clamping said stabilizer bar to the a pair of I-

10 shaped rails of a ladder or ladder extension, said means for securely clamoing being selected from the

11 group consisting of a pair of locking clamps welded to said stabilizer bar and a pair of tubular sliding

12 members with locking clamps secured thereon.

Claims 16-17 *(Canceled)*

1 Claim 18 *(Currently Amended)* The ladder stabilizer of claim 15, wherein said wheels are between

2 3-8 inches in diameter.

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- 1 Claim 19 (*Currently Amended*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 17 15, wherein said trough is formed of sheet metal.
- 1 Claim 20 (*Currently Amended*) The ladder stabilizer of claim 19, wherein said locking clamps are Carr Lane Clamps CL-250-VTC having have at least 200 pounds of clamping force and said wheels are between 3-8 inches in diameter.